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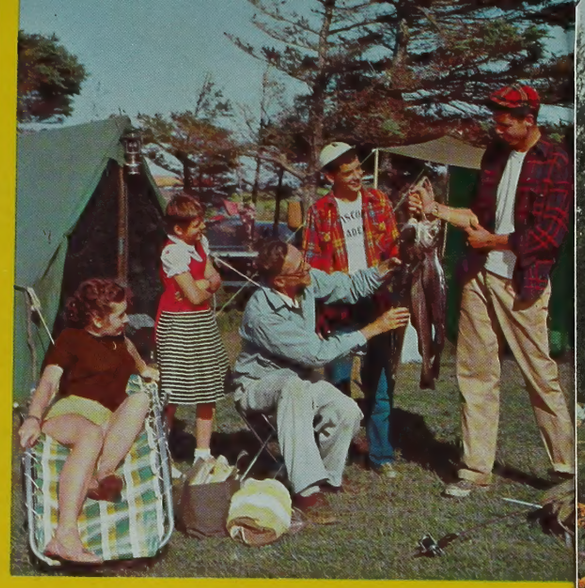
Thundering hoofs and roaring crowds combine to make harness racing a thrilling sport at Charlottetown where a whole week of racing is held each August during Old Home Week.



The Island is noted for its trout fishing, and more recently deep sea fishing has become an increasingly popular sport.

Green Gables, farm home immortalized by island authoress Lucy Maud Montgomery in her book "Anne of Green Gables", is located in the National Park.

A network of good paved highways wind through many picturesque Island villages such as New Glasgow shown in the photograph above.

A century of history will be observed in Prince Edward Island in 1964 when the province celebrates the Centennial of the first meeting of Canada's Fathers of Confederation held in Charlottetown, September 1, 1864.

Cavendish, Brackley and Stanhope are among the better beach resorts in Prince Edward Island. They are safe playgrounds for the whole family.

Golf by the sea is easy to find on the Island. You can tee off within sight of the sand dunes and shining blue waters of the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

Historic Confederation Chamber is located in the Provincial Building in Charlottetown. The table and chairs used by the Fathers of Confederation in 1864 are to be found in their original position.

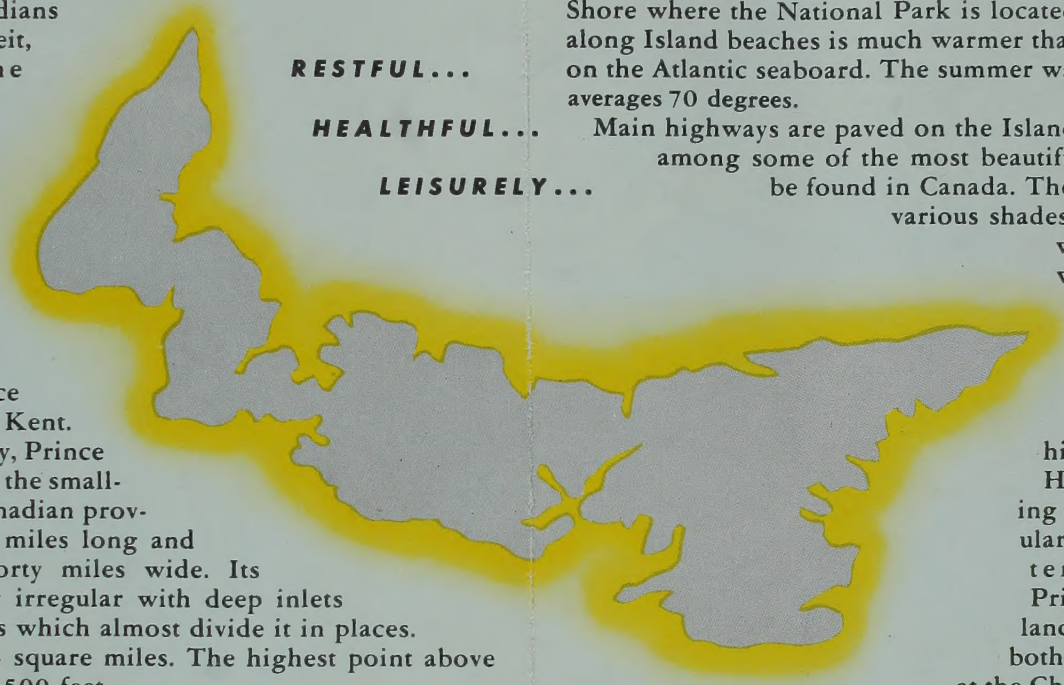
Shown above is a re-enactment of the 1864 meeting as portrayed in CBC television production "Room of Destiny".

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Canada's Garden Province

Prince Edward Island is the Cradle of Canadian Confederation. In Charlottetown in 1864 the first meeting was held to discuss the union of Canada. The Confederation Chamber, where the delegates met, is well worth a visit because of the historical role it played in the birth of Canada.

The Island in the Gulf of St. Lawrence was discovered by Jacques Cartier in 1534. The Indians called it Abegweit, meaning "The Home Cradled on the Waves." The French called it Isle St. Jean and in 1799 the English renamed it Prince Edward Island in honor of Prince Edward, Duke of Kent.



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Geographically, Prince Edward Island is the smallest of the ten Canadian provinces. It is 140 miles long and from four to forty miles wide. Its coastline is very irregular with deep inlets and tidal streams which almost divide it in places. Its area is 2,184 square miles. The highest point above sea level is only 500 feet.

Nature has done much for this little province by the sea. It is blessed by one of the most temperate climates in North America, with no extremes of heat or cold; no droughts or floods. Island summers are noted for their long, warm, sunny days and cool, refreshing evenings.

Its temperate climate and rich, red loam soil have combined to make Prince Edward Island one of the most abundant agricultural areas in Canada. This "Million Acre Farm" grows the finest seed potatoes in the world. Its dairy products are at a premium on discriminating markets because of their quality; its livestock consistently wins top prizes at Canadian exhibitions. The Island's reputation as Canada's Garden Province has been truly established. Fishing is the second ranking industry. It is also the birthplace of the silver fox industry.

Population of the Island, according to the latest census, is 107,000 made up of descendants of English, Irish, Scotch and French pioneers. Charlottetown, the capital of the province, is the only city on Prince Edward Island and its population is 18,318. Summerside with a population of 8,611 is the largest town.

Some of North America's finest beaches rim the shores of the Island province—particularly those along the North Shore where the National Park is located. The saltwater along Island beaches is much warmer than at most places on the Atlantic seaboard. The summer water temperature averages 70 degrees.

Main highways are paved on the Island and they wind among some of the most beautiful landscapes to be found in Canada. The visitor will see various shades of green fields, winding brooks where trout abound, picturesque little villages and many places of historical interest. Harness horse racing is the most popular summertime entertainment in Prince Edward Island. Racing is held both in daytime and at the Charlottetown Driving Park at night. Races are run off under floodlights.

Green Gables 18-hole golf course at Cavendish in the National Park is one of the best in Canada. There are also fine golf links in Charlottetown and Summerside as well as several smaller ones at privately-owned summer resorts.

Only nine miles separates the Island from the neighboring province of New Brunswick by carferry route between Borden, the province's main terminal, and Cape Tormentine on the mainland side. The carferry Abegweit is the largest of her type in the world and is a luxuriously-appointed craft. Two other ferries are also operated to give a speedier service during spring, summer and fall. Two other ferries operate from the eastern part of the province between Wood Islands and Caribou, Nova Scotia.

ABRAMS VILLAGE	E-2	BEAR RIVER	D-8	BRADALBANE	E-4	CARDIGAN	E-7	CORNWALL	F-8	DURELL	E-6	FLAT RIVER	F-8	GORDON POINT	E-3	HIGH BANK	D-7	LENNOX ISLAND	D-3	MAYFIELD	
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AITON ROAD	E-4	BEATON PT.	D-8	BRISTOL	D-8	CARDIGAN RIVER	E-7	CORRAVILLE	E-7	GUVAR	C-2	FOREST HILL	E-7	GOWANBRAE	D-8	HOLLAND COVE	F-5	LEWIS	F-7	McGILL	
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ALBERRY PLAINS	E-8	BEDFORD	E-6	BROCKTON	C-2	CASCUMPEC BAY	C-2	COVEHEAD BAY	D-4	BARNSCLIFFE	E-8	FORTUNE BRIDGE	E-8	GRAHAM POINT	E-8	HOPE RIVER	D-4	LITTLE HARBOUR	D-6	MELVILLE	
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ALBION	F-7	BELFAST	F-7	BROOKLYN	F-7	CASCUMPEC PT.	C-2	COW CREEK	D-7	EAST BIDEFORD	D-3	FORTY EIGHT ROAD	E-7	GRAHAM ROAD	E-7	HOWLAN	C-2	LITTLE SANDS	D-7	MIDDLETON	
ALBION CROSS	F-8	BELL	G-8	BROOKVALE	E-4	CAVENDISH	D-4	CRAPAUD	F-4	EAST LAKE	D-8	FOUNTAIN HEAD	D-8	GRAND RIVER	D-3	HUNTER RIVER	E-3	LITTLE TIGNISH HARBOUR	B-2	MIDGELL	
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ARGYLE SHORE	D-3	BIRD ISLAND	D-3	CABLE HEAD	D-7	CHURCHILL	F-8	DARLOIS	B-2	ELLERSLIE	D-8	GASCOYNE COVE	G-8	HAMILTON	D-1	JOHNSTONS RIVER	E-8	LORNE VALLEY	E-7	MILTON	
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BY AUTOMOBILE TO PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

MILES FROM

New York . . .	877
Boston	596
Portland	547
Detroit	1303
Toronto	1076
Ottawa	849
Montreal	756

Car Ferries: Tormentine, N.B.–Borden, P.E.I., 9 miles. Caribou, N.S.–Wood Islands, P.E.I., 14 miles.

RATES—Both Ferries: Automobiles, $3.00 return. Passengers, 90 cents return. Tickets interchangeable.

BUS LINES

From all points in United States and Canada. The S. M. T. operating through services to and on Prince Edward Island.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

The CNR operates a sleeping car service to the Maritimes from Montreal and now have new, drastically reduced fares. Also Canadian Pacific Railway to Saint John, N.B., thence via Canadian National Railways to P.E.I.

AIR LINES

From all points in United States and Canada. The M.C.A. connecting with various mainland cities, also operating Charlottetown-Summerside, Charlottetown-Magdalene Islands.

HUNTING AND FISHING

When obtaining licences at the Travel Bureau, R.C.M.P. or Provincial Department of Industry and Natural Resources, sportsmen can secure information as to season, catch, etc.

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Prince Edward Island is one of the truly delightful vacation spots in Maritime Canada. It has a charm of its own that lures visitors from all parts of the United States and Canada for longer stays. Outstanding attraction offered by this lovely little Island is its excellent beaches where the water averages 68-70 degrees Fahrenheit. Prince Edward Island has something to suit every taste. There is golf, tennis, boating, trout and deep-sea fishing, horseback riding, scenery for the artist and the camera enthusiast, and many other diversions. Prince Edward Island has often been referred to as the Kentucky of Canada. Harness horse racing is an Island specialty. Products of both land and sea are plentiful and cheap. That is partly the reason Island resorts are able to offer the visitor a better rate for food and accommodation than other popular vacation centres. Sea foods including lobsters in season and famous Malpeque oysters, are included on Island menus. Come and see for yourself. You will be welcome.

Strathgartney Park, on Trans Canada Highway, is a popular campground and trailer park.

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